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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Tsuyoshi ONUMA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1773

Application No.: 10/725,421

Examiner: H. Rickman

Filed: December 3, 2003

Docket No.: 117940

For: MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM AND MAGNETIC STORAGE APPARATUS  
USING THE SAME

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the June 28, 2004 Office Action and the October 19, 2004 personal interview, the period for reply extended one month by the attached Petition for Extension of Time to October 28, 2004, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**